FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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William S. Towne, Treasurer Fourth Congressional District Republican Party 506 Caswell Rd. Chapel Hill, NC 27514

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Identification Number:

C00339606

Reference: 30 Day Post-General Report (10/1/98-12/2/98)

Dear Mr. Towne:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Line 6(a) of the Summary Page represents the total cash-on-hand as of your date of origin. This figure should be the same on all the reports covering the calendar year. Please amend your report to clarify the change made in Line 6(a).

-Please provide the totals for Lines 7 and 8, Column B of the Summary Page. Note that changes in your figures may affect your Column B totals on this report and/or on subsequent reports.

-Please provide the totals for Lines 21(b), 21(c), 29, 30, and 31, Column B of the Detailed Summary Page. Note that changes in your figures may affect your Column B totals on this report and/or on subsequent reports.

-Line 21(a) of the Detailed Summary Page should only be used to report the federal and non-federal shares of allocable activities. If your committee has only one account, the total operating expenditures (administrative expenses) should be reported on Line 21(b). Please amend your report to confirm the nature of your expenditures and to provide the total on the appropriate line.

It has come to the attention of the Federal Election Commission that the reports you have filed during the current election cycle do not reflect the appropriate coverage dates for quarterly filing status. Please be advised of the filing dates and coverage periods for the 1997-1998 election cycle and fill in the appropriate dates on Line 5 of the Summary Page.

Report Type	Coverage Dates	Due Date
Mid-Year	1/1/97-6/30/97	July 31, 1997
Year End	7/1/97-12/31/97	January 31, 1998
April Quarterly	1/1/98-3/31/98	April 15, 1998
July Quarterly	4/1/98-6/30/98	July 15, 1998
October Quarterly	7/1/98-9/30/98	October 15, 1998
12 Day Pre-General	10/1/98-10/14/98	October 22, 1998
30 Day Post-General	10/15/98-11/23/98	December 3, 1998
Year End	11/24/98-12/31/98	January 31, 1999

A written response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530. My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

Neil A. Evans Reports Analyst

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